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Call for Republican Territorial Central Committee.

REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE of New Mexico. Santa Fe, Aug. 23, 1898. The Republican Central Committee is hereby called to meet at the office of the chairman in Santa Fe, N. M., at 10 o'clock a. m., on Thursday, the 8th day of September, 1898, for the purpose of fixing the time and place of holding the territorial convention to nominate a candidate for delegate in congress; fixing the number of delegates thereto and their apportionment among the several counties; and such other business as may come before the committee.

EDWARD L. BARTLETT, Chairman.

MAX FROST, Secretary.

In spite of Czar Nicholas' proposal for a general disarmament, the United States is building a large and powerful navy. Funny world this.

Major General Merritt is of the opinion, that the United States should retain the Philippines. The general evidently knows which way the strong wind is blowing.

Kaiser William's daily telegraphic bulletin that he will soon undertake a trip to the holy land and to Jerusalem is becoming stale. Why does he not start, that is the question.

The San Marcial Bee hives the name of Hon. T. A. Finck as the Republican nominee for delegate to the 56th congress. This is a very good name indeed, but as far as this paper is concerned, it is for the nominee of the Republican party.

The Las Vegas Optic imagines that it is firing 13-inch guns at the New Mexican and its editor on account of the expose by this paper of the corrupt and dishonest official doings in San Miguel, when, in fact, it has not even fire crackers to shoot with.

President McKinley is still listening and when he acts on the question of the annexation of new territory, it will be found that he is in accord with the vast majority of the American people, although he may displease Carl Schurz, Colonel William Jennings Bryan, Mr. Bailey, of Texas, and a few other sore-heads.

The New Mexican exhibit at Omaha is very creditable and attracts much favorable attention. An appeal to the people for contributions to keep the exhibit there until the close of the exposition appears in another column of this issue. The people and specially the boards of county commissioners should heed this appeal and respond to it with generosity and promptness.

The law officers of the territory should enforce its laws against criminals and men charged with crime, whether in office or out of office. Charges against county officials should be closely investigated and, if found true, the law should be enforced and offending officials should be removed and punished. The honest taxpayers of this territory have suffered more than enough at the hands of dishonest officials.

The 16 to 1 free silverites are having something of a monkey and parrot time of it in Colorado. Power and influence are slipping away from them and they are hot under the collar, very hot, and are charging that administration money is being used to ruin them. Too bad, this sorrowful state as far as they are concerned, but the country at large is not disturbed and looks with equanimity upon the crazy antics of the Colorado free silver papers.

Since the so-called Bateman law went into effect, the Republican county commissioners of Santa Fe county have strictly adhered to its provisions, have reduced county expenses and have settled the indebtedness of the county every three months so far in full. This is a great record indeed and one that might, with great profit and benefit, be imitated by the boards of commissioners of other counties.

The Las Vegas Optic is still hot under the collar on account of the New Mexican's expose of official corruption in San Miguel county. It cannot and does not successfully deny or explain the charges made by this journal from the official record. It simply uses personal attacks, consisting of falsehoods and a perversion of facts against the editor of the New Mexican, which course, however, does not do away with the damnable and rotten record of the county officials of San Miguel county.

Let Columbus Rest.

About the time the war with Spain closed, the Madrid papers were heaping abuse upon poor Columbus for having discovered America and thereby bringing trouble and defeat upon the Spaniards. But for some reason all that has

been changed, since it has been learned that Cuba must be surrendered, and now the cry is to "Bring the bones of the great discoverer home." One Spanish paper says: "They are ours, ours alone. Spain cannot abandon them. They represent for Spaniards all a religion—the religion of our incomparably splendid past; the religion of the country of liberty, for Columbus alone did not create the great power of Spain; he alone did not make her famous, placing her in a position above all the nations of the earth; but, as an illustrious writer has said, he carried out the work of God, revealing to us the new world, redeeming its savage inhabitants, and rendering real the mystic redemption promised in the Crucifixion."

That is all very fine and pious, and possibly the Madrid editor believes this, or hopes to make others believe he believes it. There are really some fine touches in it—that about the "country of liberty," for instance, meaning Spain. The fact is this is the only chance Columbus ever had to rest his bones in a country of liberty, now that Cuba is about to be freed from Spain.

It is true that Columbus, thanks to the progressive Queen Isabella, helped to place in Spain's hands great power and wealth, and what was his reward? To die in poverty, neglected by the land and sovereign he had enriched, the ungrateful and selfish Ferdinand.

If the Spanish will stop to consider the matter for a moment they will realize that in all probability, Columbus' bones are now beyond removing and have become a part of mother earth. It is some time since the Italian navigator quitted his troubles and sorrows brought on by the ingratitude of the country which he aided in making great at one time, and should a search be made in his tomb there would be nothing found to remove to the land of an "incomparable past." Could Columbus be consulted in the matter, as he was a man of progress, he would in no uncertain tones demand that what little there may be left of him remain in a land governed by a country which has kept up with the times. Four hundred and six years after gratitude has been earned is a little late to begin to show gratitude, and Spain will do well to let the dead rest, forget the glorious past and endeavor to catch up with the 30th century.

New Mexico Industry Threatened.

The action of the commissioners appointed by the United States and Canada for the purpose of adjusting the trade, sealing and fishery differences between the United States and the Dominion of Canada, is of considerable interest to New Mexico.

One of the things the commissioners for Canada are trying to accomplish is the restoration of the old reciprocity provisions of the old trade treaty between the two countries, which would be all very nice for the Canadians. Under that treaty in 20 years Canada's trade with the United States grew from \$3,000,000 to \$18,000,000 per annum, while the trade of the United States with Canada decreased from \$3,500,000 to \$3,000,000. The industry in New Mexico which would suffer from such an arrangement is wool growing.

Canadian wools are of a superior quality, equal to those raised in any part of the United States, and should the tariff be removed under the operations of reciprocity it would not be long until the New Mexico sheepmen would feel the effect of that competition in the reduction of prices. It is true that at present the wool product of Canada is not very large, for the reason that the United States is the market for the northern fleeces. Under the present tariff that market is almost entirely cut off, but with the bars let down, the Canadian farmers would rapidly increase their flocks and become large sellers in the markets of this country.

In Quebec, where the session of the commissions are held, the lumbermen, wood pulp paper makers, and other manufacturers and industries of the United States, which are threatened by the possible enactment of reciprocal provisions, have their representatives looking out for their interests, but the stockmasters and wool dealers are not represented. It is a well known fact that the woolen manufacturers of New England have ever endeavored to have wool placed upon the unprotected or free list for reasons not difficult of discernment, and it is safe to say that the free wool men are well represented in the Canadian city, doing all that is possible to provide for the admission of wool grown in the Dominion at the lowest possible rate of tariff, and free if that can be accomplished.

To the territory of New Mexico the possibilities of free wool from across the northern borders is not a very cheering outlook. The sheep growers have no organization and by reason of their scattered locations cannot send representatives to Quebec, but the big dealers in the staple ought to take the matter in hand at once and send some one to look after that interest. Low prices for wool makes business slack in the territory and no one would derive greater benefit from the maintenance of the present tariff than the big buyers of New Mexico, and they should lose no time looking after a matter of such great importance.

Attracting Attention.

That homeseekers are casting their eyes on New Mexico, is now apparent. A few days ago Mr. L. A. White and son, of Denver, visited the Sacramento mountain country, looking for a locality for a colony. Dr. J. R. M. Touchstone, of Baileyville, Texas, is pleased with the country around Roswell and the Pecos valley, and states that quite a colony will join him in settling in that vicinity.

Capitalists have lately been examining some localities in Grant county with the view of promoting an agricultural enterprise that would afford homes for settlers.

W. A. Garrett, of Shofels, Ouray county, Colorado, has selected homes for himself and a small colony in San Juan county, and writes the secretary of the Bureau of Immigration that they are well pleased with their new selected locations. The foregoing as well as many other individual homeseekers have through the work of the bureau been induced to come and take a look at New Mexico, and have concluded to remain. A great many inquiries may be expected from parties who will receive information of this territory through bulletins, distributed at the Omaha exposition.

The Dolores Romero Case.

In the investigation of the charges made against County Commissioner Dolores Romero, of Union county, held before Governor Otero on yesterday, it was shown that in many of the cases of malfeasance and misfeasance in office charged against the board of county commissioners of Union county, of which Mr. Romero is a member, he either did not vote or voted against the action proposed and that such was carried out without his participation. In other cases he proved that he acted in his official capacity upon the advice of the district attorney, the board's legal adviser. In the principal charge, that of having received payment of illegal fees, he entered a complete denial, and there was no evidence adduced to sustain the charge.

Governor Otero, after a patient and thorough investigation, concluded that the charges were not proven and dismissed the case. It made no difference to the executive that the accused was a Democrat. He was accorded a fair, thorough and courteous hearing, and the governor's action was based upon the charges, the answer to them, the facts adduced and arguments of counsel. Even handed justice was dealt out in the case by the governor, which, of course, was to be expected, but which is very refreshing and agreeable, when compared with the actions of Democratic executives in similar cases, when Republicans were removed upon the flimsiest pretexts and simply for political reasons and to make Democratic political capital.

A Republican Delegate Necessary.

(Socorro Chief.)

Of all times in the history of New Mexico it is particularly important to the interests of this territory that a Republican delegate to congress be elected this fall.

Just About Right.

(Albuquerque Citizen.)

The Republican territorial convention should be held at Santa Fe on the same day that the Democratic convention is held at Deming.

A Word to the Raton Push.

(Albuquerque Citizen.)

Local conditions in Colfax county may lead up to peculiar results in the coming election. The county seat fight between Springer and Raton has stirred up a very bitter feeling and produced much bad blood. The Democrats claim the county by a big majority. We shall see what we shall see. Meanwhile a whispered word in the ears of the Raton push might accomplish something.

Should Proceed With Investigation.

(Albuquerque Citizen.)

If the New Mexican will continue its good work and investigate the sheriff's office in San Miguel county, as conducted during the reign of ex-Chief Justice Jeffries-Smith, some of the doings of the Union party in San Miguel county will come to light, which will prove choice and interesting reading to the citizens of this territory. While you are about it, Colonel Max, why not investigate the district attorney's office as well—you might unearth a few jobs which nobody in San Miguel cares to fathom.

The Oliver Lee Case.

(Springer Stockman.)

Oliver Lee, the renegade from justice, charged with being an accessory to the murder of Colonel A. J. Fountain and son in Lincoln county, seems to be cutting quite a swath down in Dona Ana county. From the mountain crevices he endeavors to dictate politics and how he and party will surrender. How long will such a state of affairs exist? Since his flight there is another charge of murder against him.

Bottom Side of Affairs.

(San Marcial Bee.)

The SANTA FE NEW MEXICAN is on the trail of the office-holding representatives of the so-called Union party of San Miguel county. The New Mexican has made some investigations. Numerous cases of incapacity and corruption have been discovered, gross violations of the territorial law shown and established; corporations and wealthy citizens favored at the expense of poor tax payers, and county commissioners paid for work never performed. These statements are all which maintain choice and interesting reading to the citizens of this territory. While you are about it, Colonel Max, why not investigate the district attorney's office as well—you might unearth a few jobs which nobody in San Miguel cares to fathom.

Pertinent Remarks on the School of Mines.

(Lordsburg Liberal.)

The board of regents of the School of Mines at Socorro have engaged Professor F. A. Jones of Kansas City, to take charge of the school for the coming year. It is noticeable that the School of Mines has a new man in charge every year. It is stated that the board has always been able to hire high-minded men for the position, men of such correct principle that they refuse to take the money a second year for practically doing nothing. The school never has had enough scholars so that the professors in charge have been able to earn the salary paid them, and so they refuse because they are honest, to remain a second year. It would be better for the people of the territory if the 50-corrotes who pull for an appropriation every time the legislature meets, were inoculated with a little of the same honesty.

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Blanco—Sogobal! Hear nothing from him. I never met a man so obstinate.

Blanco—Did you send that urgent message to Corvera directing him to leave Santiago at all hazards?

Aid—Yes, excellency.

Blanco—Strange! I hear nothing from him. I never met a man so obstinate.

Aid—I think, excellency, it is because he fears the Yankee fleet.

Blanco—Preposterous! Ha! ha! What put that ridiculous idea in your head?

Aid—Admiral Corvera's actions, excellency.

Blanco—You are all wrong. I tell you it is pure obstinacy. He wants to cross the sea. What does that clattering horse mean?

Aid (looking out of the palace window)—It is a messenger, your excellency.

Blanco—See what he wants.

Aid (reappearing)—He brings news from Admiral Corvera, your excellency.

Blanco—Well, what's the old fox up to now?

Aid—He has left Santiago.

Blanco—Good!

Aid—With all his fleet.

Blanco—Good!

Aid—Steamed straight through the entrance.

Blanco—Good!

Aid—In accordance with your instructions.

Blanco—Good!

Aid—He left his flagship.

Blanco—What for?

Aid—He thought it wise to do so.

Blanco—Well, I suppose he knows his business. To which ship did he transfer?

Aid—To one of the Yankee ships, excellency.

Blanco—Wh-wh-what's that? And the Spanish fleet?

Aid—There is no Spanish fleet, excellency.

Blanco (in choicest Castilian)—Go whizz!—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Normal School.

The normal school of Rio Arriba county will open in Tierra Amarilla, N. M., on the 30th of October, 1898, in the court house, with Professor Francisco P. Chaves as instructor.

ANTONIO D. VARGAS, Supt. of Schools.

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What dreams, what anticipations, what exultations, had not that little tome called up in his fevered brain that day!

Then he was a poor student, waiting for a chance to please the public with his writings. His success had been small, if any, and sometimes he was half inclined to give up the struggle. Indeed, such were his straits that more than once he allowed his eyes to roam over the "Help Wanted, Male," column in the voluminous Sunday papers. But then immediately there would come renewed determination and fresh resolve, and he would conquer the temptation to apply for work.

Work? No, a thousand times no! He would be a literary man in spite of everything!

Then it happened that he came across this little book that had proved of such incalculable value to him in his vocation, for he was now one of the literary giants of the day—nay, of the age—and could command really royal royalties.

Yes, he was rich, indeed, beyond the dreams of avarice.

For the piles of cash that he had accumulated had grown from his wonderfully complicated Scotch dialect stories, and the source of his inspiration was no other than the old secondhand, 5 cent copy of "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush," from which he was wont to select his Scotch words at haphazard.—Vim.

Archibald Promised.



"Archibald, promise, oh, promise, me that if you join the army you will not be a general, for I have read that the enemy always send sharpshooters to pick off the generals." And Archibald after a little natural hesitation promised.—Pleek Me Up.

All's Well That Ends Well.

Physician—Two of your ribs are broken, your right arm is fractured, one of your ears is missing and three fingers are gone. Patient—How is the wheel?

"Without a scratch."

"Thank heaven! Think of what might have happened!"—Detroit Free Press.

Defendant Missing.

Diggs—Snawley has just been telling me some of his family troubles. Briggs—He has, eh? Well, what's your opinion of them?

Diggs—I think I'd prefer to hear his wife's side of the case before handing down an opinion.—Chicago News.

Titles Sinking.

"Man overboard!" cried the sailor, seeing a passenger fall into the sea. What do you mean with your 'Man overboard?' I saw the unfortunate, bobbing up. 'Commercial Counselor von Folgestock is overboard.'—Tit-Bits.

The Matter of Age.

Aged Millionaire—And you refuse me! Miss Beauty—I am sorry, sir, but I cannot be your wife.

"Is it because I am too old?"

"No; because you are not older."—New York Weekly.

Where the Snakes Went.

Upon—There's no use talking, this war was really brought on by St. Patrick. Downes—How do you make that out?

Upon—Because he drove all the snakes out of Ireland into Spain.—New York World.

A Safe Rule.

New Cook—Do you put potatoes on to boil in cold water or hot?

Old Cook (trained by her mistress)—Phew! There's no use in the trouble do be 't' right way.—New York Weekly.

Modest Youth.

"Why so modestive, Willie?"

"Aw, I was just thinkin, baw Jove, what a lucky dawg I was not to have been born before mirrors were invented."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Lot to Burn.

"Don't I smell something burning about here?"

"Guess you do, dad. It's that penny you gave me burning in my pocket."—Yonkers Statesman.

Henpecked.

Spawker—Your wife seems very fond of commanding you to do this, that and the other.

Saturnop (sadly)—Yes, it's her ruling passion.—Fun.

Fun-ishment For Spain.

Said Segarra, "August writes me that he'll ill. And the Philippine estimate's a killer."

Said Weyler, "He's right! Since that Dewey May Day."

You'll find that there's no Man-illa!"

Said Segarra, "Here's Camara wiring us, too. That he's positive now he can rake 'em!"

Said Weyler, "He'll see, when the Yanks focus him."

A negative's all that he's taken!"

Said Segarra, "At Tampa Blanco would strike."

And sent on the Yanks a damper."

Said Weyler, "All right, he'll strike it just once. For Florida's no place to Tampa!"

—New York World.

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